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STATEMENTS IN SUPPORT OF AMENDMENTS TO SEQUENCE LISTING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a) AND IN SUPPORT OF COMPUTER READABLE FORM SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b)

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a), I hereby state that the substitute paper copy of the Sequence Listing attached herewith does not include new matter and is supported by the application as originally filed.

09/746390 112/21/00 I also hereby state, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b), that the content of the attached copy of the Computer Readable Form and the above-mentioned substitute paper copy of the Sequence Listing is the same.

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